REMARKS

In response to the Office Action further restricting the claims, mailed on May 20, 2003, applicants elect Group I (claims 1-22) and species as previously described. Applicants also note that the Election Response, mailed on February 28, 2003, was considered a *bone fide* response. Applicants also assume that the Preliminary Amendment correcting typographical errors in the specification and claims that was mailed along with the first Election Response will be considered.

Applicants know of no fee due with this submission. However, if any fees are necessary, the Commissioner may consider this to be a request for such and charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account 23-3000.

The Examiner is invited to contact applicants' undersigned representative with any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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